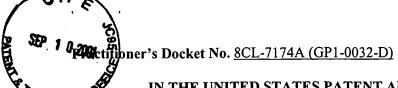
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## PETITION UNDER 37 CFR 1.59(b) TO EXPUNGE ACCOMPANYING INFORMATION SUBMITTED UNDER M.P.E.P. § 724.02

SIR:

Applicant hereby petitions under 37 CFR § 1.59(b) to expunge the information submitted herewith under MPEP § 724.02. The information which is submitted herewith and for which Applicant petitions to be expunged is proprietary, and the information has not been otherwise made public to the knowledge of the Applicant. Petitioner confirms that the Applicant will retain the information submitted herewith for the period of any patent with regard to which this information is submitted. This petition is being submitted by the party in interest who originally submitted the information. The fee required by 37 CFR § 1.17(i) should be charged to Deposit Account No. <u>07-0862</u>. Two copies of this Petition are enclosed.

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